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For :	PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR ABSTRACTING IC DESIGN FILES	Examiner: Isaac T. Tecklu
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed August 19, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-2, 10 and 13-14.

FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

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EXTENSION OF TIME

These proceedings are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

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<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 130.00	\$ 65.00
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Respectfully submitted,
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